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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**PATENT**

In re application of: WOODWARD et al.

Attorney Docket No.: WVANP012

Application No.: 09/813,235

Examiner: ZBENDER, Florian M.

Filed: March 19, 2001

Group: 3627

Title: TECHNIQUE FOR HANDLING SALES OF  
REGULATED ITEMS IMPLEMENTED OVER A  
DATA NETWORK

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**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is transmitted via facsimile to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on May 23, 2007.

Signed: 

Printed Name: Patricia Tate

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**(37 CFR §1.114)**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of the above-identified application.

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:**

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on January 8, 2007. (Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit/Declaration
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
- iv. ☒ Other Petition to Withdraw from Issue.

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2. Fees: (The RCE fee is required at the time the RCE is filed.)

Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

Fee for Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)	\$790 =	790.00
TOTAL		790.00
SMALL ENTITY 50% FILING FEE REDUCTION (if applicable)		

- ☐ a. Applicant hereby petitions for a month extension of time;
- ☒ b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-3874.
- ☒ c. Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment Form for payment of the amount of \$790.00 to cover the RCE fee (\$790).
- ☒ d. The Director is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-3874 (Order No. WVANP012).
3. ☒ Please send correspondence to the following address:

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Date: May 23, 2007

  
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